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Patent Application

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PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION OF DISMISSAL OF THE
PETITION TO ACCEPT UNINTENTIONALLY DELAYED CLAIM UNDER
35 U.S.C. 120 FOR THE BENEFIT OF A PRIOR-FILED NONPROVISIONAL
APPLICATION PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. 1.78(a)(3)

1. Applicants hereby petition to reconsider the dismissal of the Petition to Accept Unintentionally Delayed Claim Under 35 U.S.C. § 120 for the Benefit of a Prior-Filed Nonprovisional Application Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.78(a)(3) ("the Petition").

2. According to the Decision on Petition under 37 CFR 1.78(a)(3) to Accept an Unintentionally Delayed Claim Under 35 U.S.C. § 120 for the Benefit of a Prior-Filed Nonprovisional Application, the Petition was dismissed because it was alleged that the Certificate of Correction filed by the Applicants with the Petition was not sufficient to satisfy the reference required by 35 U.S.C. § 120. For example, the Decision alleges in the last paragraph beginning on page 1:

35 U.S.C. 120 requires that the application (as opposed to the patent) contain or be amended to contain the necessary reference. Accordingly,

applicants must also file an ADS or an amendment (complying with 37 CFR 1.121) stating the proper relationship of the international application to the prior filed U.S. nonprovisional application (now Patent No. 6,542,880). The Certificate of Correction alone is not sufficient in this regard.

3. In support of this Petition for Reconsideration, Applicants hereby submit an Amendment including a proper chain of claim to priority from the present patent application to nonprovisional U.S. Patent Application No. 09/218,945 (now U.S. Patent No. 6,542,880). Applicants respectfully note that the Amendment includes the proper relationship of the International Application No. PCT/US99/02737 to the nonprovisional U.S. Patent Application No. 09/218,945 (now U.S. Patent No. 6,542,880).

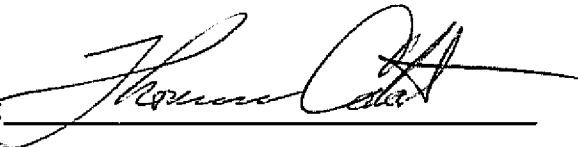
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